House Resolution No. 1060

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives always welcome the opportunity to recognize young men who have excelled during their association with the Boy Scouts of America program with its emphasis on physical, mental, and spiritual growth; self-reliance; personal values; service to others; and an appreciation and understanding of the wonderful natural world; and

Whereas, Christian Henry Andrick, II, of Troop 603 has successfully completed all of the stringent requirements for Scouting's highest advancement award, the rank of Eagle Scout, which will be bestowed upon him during an Eagle Court of Honor on April 14, 2007; and

Whereas, attainment of the Eagle Scout rank is dependent upon the sequential completion of each of the Boy Scout steps of Tenderfoot, Second Class, First Class, Star, and Life, and expected troop service, a requirement admirably fulfilled by Christian through the billets of Bugler, Patrol Leader, and Senior Patrol Leader; and

Whereas, diligent labors by Christian earned him the Arrow of Light, induction into the Order of the Arrow Brotherhood, Warrior status in the Tribe of Mic-O-Say, and thirty-one merit badges that are arrayed on his uniform sash as a visual illustration of the diverse skills and knowledge which he has acquired as a Boy Scout; and

Whereas, in keeping with Scouting practice, Christian applied the knowledge that he learned at troop meetings in many camping, hiking, and service activities, including attendance at Camp Chawanakee in Fresno, California; four sessions at H. Roe Bartle Scout Camp in Osceola, Missouri; and a COPE Course Challenge at Philmont Scout Ranch; and

Whereas, Christian completed an Eagle Project that consisted of designing and implementing a landscaping and beautification project for the front entry circle drive at First Christian Church in Blue Springs to serve as a capstone to his Scouting career and to stand as a constant reminder of his dedication to serving others, an admirable trait that justifies the esteemed role which Scouting plays in today's society:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the outstanding achievements realized by Christian Andrick during his nine-year-long sojourn with Scouting and to congratulate him for having the drive and energy necessary to attain the rank of Eagle; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for new Eagle Scout Christian Henry Andrick, II, son of Joseph and Laura Andrick of Blue Springs, Missouri.

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 1060, adopted March 8, 2007.